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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Ravi I. SHARMA  
Serial No. : 10/528,164  
Filed : March 14, 2005  
For : INVERTED KEYBOARD INSTRUMENT  
AND METHOD OF PLAYING THE SAME  
Group Art Unit : 2832  
Examiner : Christopher J. Uhler  
Confirmation No. : 6495

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22312-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this Amendment in response to an Office Action dated December 1, 2009.

A Petition For Extension Of Time is attached. Reconsideration of this Application is respectfully requested.

The **Amendments To The Claims** begin on page 2.

The **Remarks** begin on page 9.